Amendment in Response to Non-Final Office Action
I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached
or enclosed) is being transmitted via the Office electronic filing system in
accordance with § 1.6(a)(4).

Dated: 09/29/08 Electronic Signature: /Michael B. Stewart/ (Michael B. Stewart) Docket No.: 66795-0001 (PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of: Armin Pieroth et al.

Application No.: 10/568,989 Confirmation No.: 3597

Filed: February 21, 2006 Art Unit: 3671

For: LEAF-STRIPPING DEVICE, ESPECIALLY Examiner: J. D. Misa

FOR VINES

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated May 29, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.